

PATENT APPLICATION  
Attorney Docket No. 040049

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: : Confirmation No. 4373  
Paul D. Hanke :  
Appl. No.: 10/771,695 : Art Unit: 1656  
: Examiner: Alexander D. Kim  
Filed: February 4, 2004 : Atty. Docket: 040049

Title (as amended): Polynucleotides Encoding a Truncated ORF2 From Corynebacterium

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed on March 17, 2009.

This Response is filed with a request for extension of time of three months and the necessary extension fee. If further extension or additional payment is required, kindly grant one and deduct the fee for same from Deposit Account No. 02-4800, in the name of Buchanan Ingersoll PC.

Entry of the enclosed amendments, as well as reconsideration and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are presented in the **Listing of Claims**, beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 8.